SIR FOOL, IF YOU AGREE TO MY CONDITIONS...
YOU MAY HAVE THIS SACRED TREASURE.

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LORD FOOL?

WHAT'S WITH ALL THE GRAND TALK FROM THAT GIRL?
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IS QUEEN HIMIKO OF YAMATAI BRINGING RE-INFORCE-MENTS?!

NOBUNAGA THE FOOL CHAPTER 4

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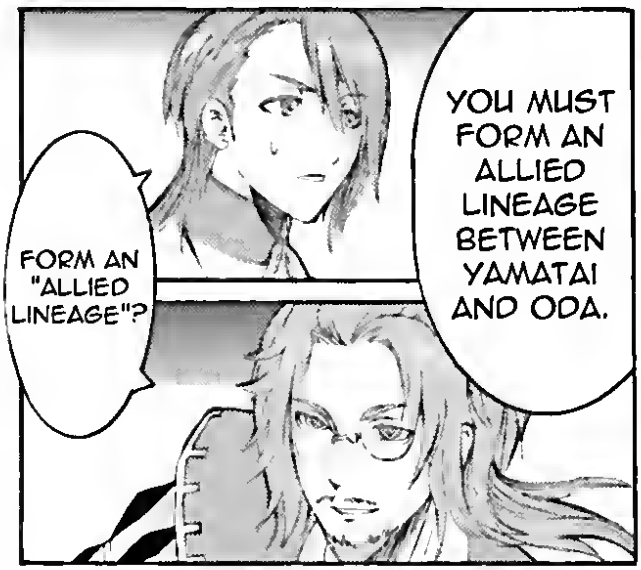
The story so far
Nobunaga takes on Takeda on-on-one in battle while going against the odds. There appears Himiko, the Queen of Yamatai, if certain conditions are accepted. She claims will give away her sacred treasure?!

THIS HAS GOTTEN INTERESTING!
FURINKAZAN!! HE'S SHOWN ME THE POWER OF THE SACRED TREASURE.
CERTAINLY WE WERE MADE FOR THESE TROUBLED TIMES... HOWEVER!
WAHAHA HAHAA!! YOU BRAT!!
EVEN IF YOU HAVE THE POWER, YOU HAVEN'T LEARNED TO USE IT.

KYAAA!
KICHI!
WE CANNOT WIN THIS FIGHT WITH OUR POWER.
ACK... WARRIORS RETREAT!!
QUEEN HIMIKO OF YAMATAI !!
AT THIS RATE, WE'LL CERTAINLY BE AT A DIS-ADVANTAGE ...

I'LL HEAR WHAT YOU HAVE TO SAY.
WHAT ARE YOUR TERMS?

IN THAT CASE, LISTEN CAREFULLY.
I... I SEE. SO YOU WERE LISTENING TO ME..
I THOUGHT YOU WERE JUST IGNORING ME...


FORM AN "ALLIED LINEAGE"?
YOU MUST FORM AN ALLIED LINEAGE BETWEEN YAMATAI AND ODA.

TWO:
ONE: YOU MUST INVOKE THE SUMMONING KEY FOR THE SACRED TREASURE.

WE ACCEPT UNDER THOSE TERMS!
HA, I SEE. THEN IT'S INEVITABLE!

ALLIANCE COMPLETE.
TH... THIS?
THE SACRED TREASURE SUMMONING KEY.
THIS IS...
DA VINCI?
SACRED TREA-SURE... IKUSA YOROI ...

SWEAR ON THE NAME OF ODA NOBUNAGA!
RAISE IT HIGH AND SWEAR TO THE HEAVENS AND EARTH!
I SWEAR ON NOBUNAGA ODA'S NAME!
TO THE HEAVENS AND THE EARTH,
HIMIKO, QUEEN OF YAMATAI!
HIMIKO, QUEEN OF YAMATAI!
I SWEAR... TO MARRY HER..?!
I SWEAR TO MARRY YOU!

MARRY!?!
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SO THAT'S WHAT SHE MEANT!
"ALLIED LINEAGE,"
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OKAY!
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A HOLY MARRIAGE BETWEEN THE KING AND QUEEN!!
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THIS IS CLEARLY ...

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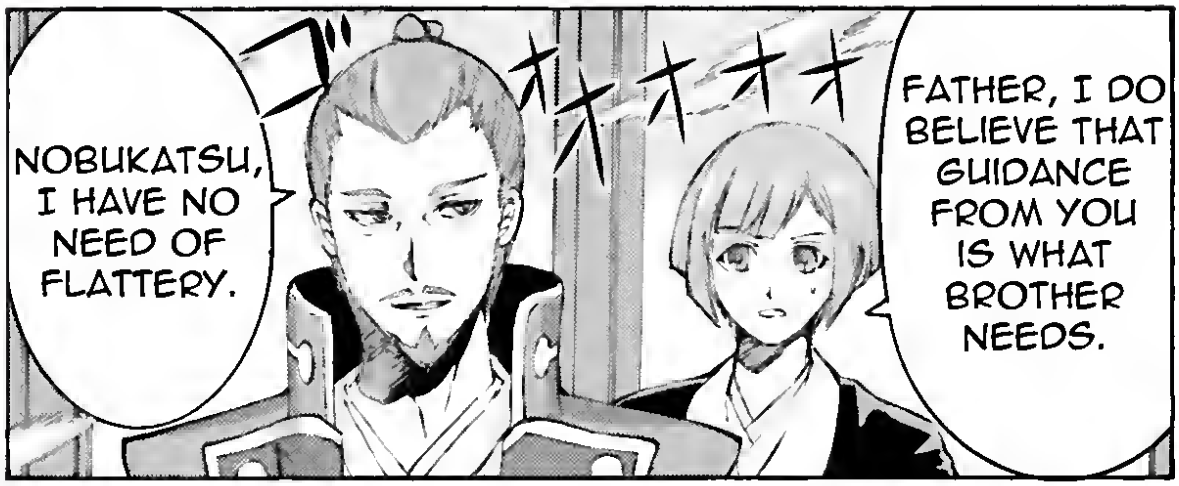
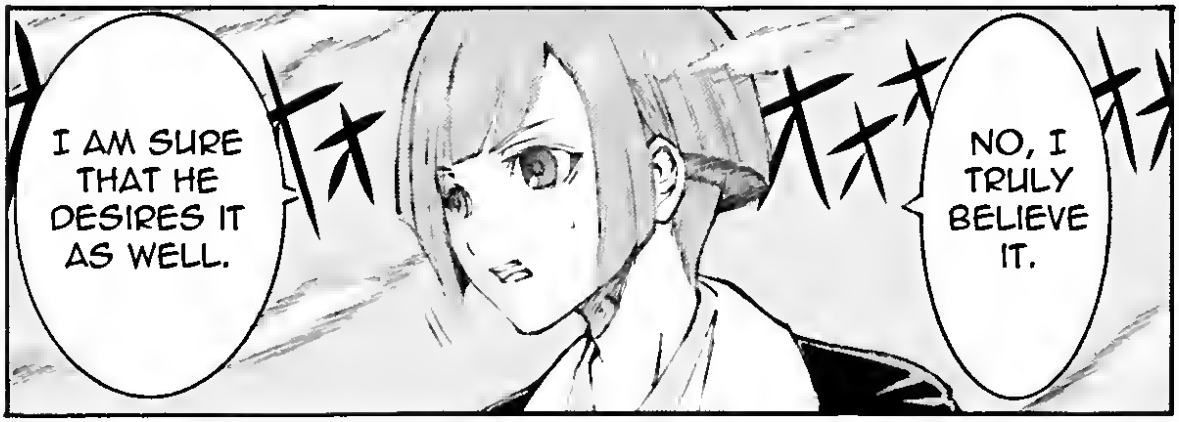
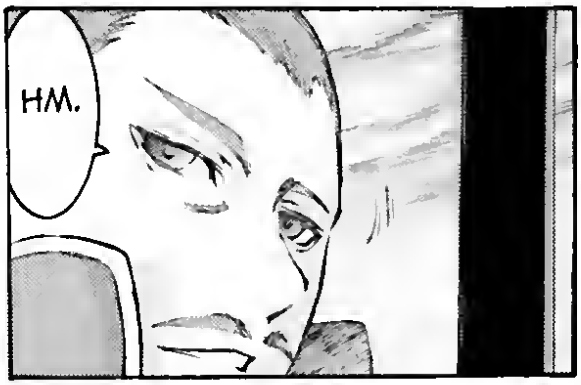

NOBUKATSU, I HAVE NO NEED OF FLATTERY.
FATHER, I DO BELIEVE THAT GUIDANCE FROM YOU IS WHAT BROTHER NEEDS.


I AM SURE THAT HE DESIRES IT AS WELL.
NO, I TRULY BELIEVE IT.


HM.

ICHI, SHALL WE INSPIRE NOBUNAGA?

WHAT'S GOING ON?!
WHA..
READY TO ADVANCE!
ALRIGHT! WE CAN DO THIS!
IT WON'T MOVE?!
THE FOOL...
YOU'RE STILL JUST A CHILD AFTER ALL.
WAHAHAHAHA!! IS THAT THE LIMIT OF YOUR IKUSA YOROI?

NGH... WAIT SHINGEN!!
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IT LOOKS LIKE TIME IS RUNNING OUT FOR ME TOO.
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SO, THE TABLES HAVE TURNED...
HUH?!
NOBUNAGA!! YOU'RE LUCKY THIS TIME.
IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE I HAD THIS MUCH FUN.
WONDERFUL!!
EVEN THOUGH IT WAS HIS FIRST TIME USING A SACRED TREASURE, HE HANDLED IT WELL.
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OH-HO-HO!
OH...
WELL THEN, TIME TO WELCOME HIM INTO MY FAMILY♥
I'D EXPECT NOTHING LESS FROM MY GROOM!

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A DRAGON PULSE THIS STRONG...
SO THAT'S THE POWER OF THE EASTERN PLANET'S SACRED TREASURE!
I CAN SEE WHY DA VINCI IS ALSO INTERESTED IN IT.
BUT IT CAN'T BE FORGIVEN...
DISOBEYING KING ARTHUR AND TAKING AN IKUSA YOROI.
HE EVEN TOOK A GIRL FROM DOMRÉMY WITH HIM.
WONDER WHAT DA VINCI WAS THINKING.

HUH? THAT'S NO FUN!
SO ARE YOU JUST GOING TO LEAVE RIGHT AFTER YOU TAKE BACK THE IKUSA YOROI AND SACRED TREASURE?
BUT IT DOESN'T MATTER TO ME.
HEH HEH... I DON'T THINK HE WOULD DO ANYTHING WITHOUT REASON...
I'VE ALWAYS BEEN INTERESTED IN THE EASTERN PLANET'S BEAUTIFUL GODDESSES!
WHY WOULD I LEAVE?
HEHE HEHE...
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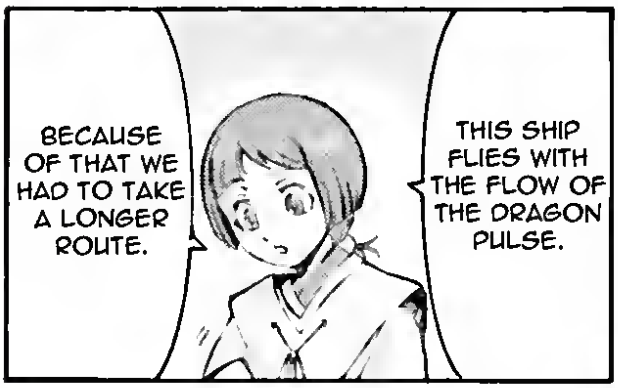
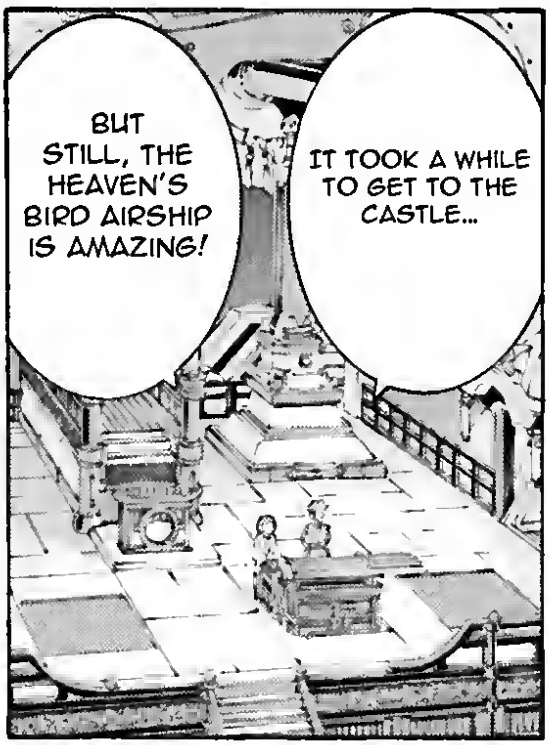
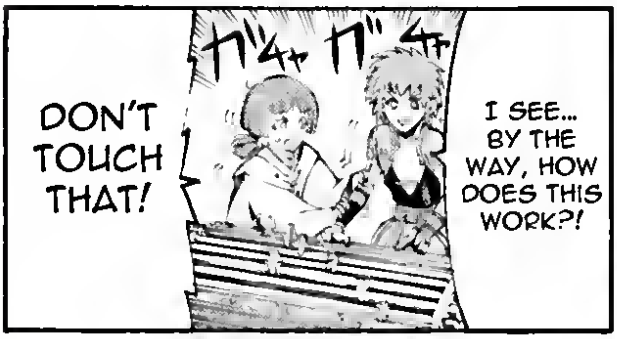
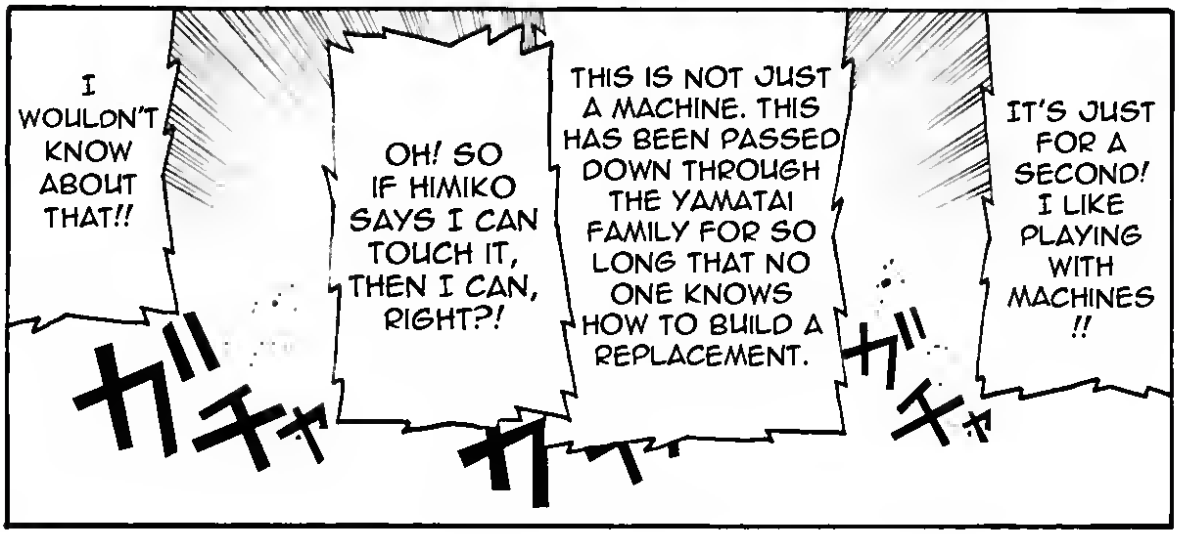
THEY CALM MY NERVES LIKE THIS FINE WINE.


BECAUSE OF THAT WE HAD TO TAKE A LONGER ROUTE.
THIS SHIP FLIES WITH THE FLOW OF THE DRAGON PULSE.


BUT STILL, THE HEAVEN'S BIRD AIRSHIP IS AMAZING!
IT TOOK A WHILE TO GET TO THE CASTLE...


DON'T TOUCH THAT!
I SEE... BY THE WAY, HOW DOES THIS WORK?!


I WOULDN'T KNOW ABOUT THAT!!
OH! SO IF HIMIKO SAYS I CAN TOUCH IT, THEN I CAN, RIGHT?!
THIS IS NOT JUST A MACHINE. THIS HAS BEEN PASSED DOWN THROUGH THE YAMATAI FAMILY FOR SO LONG THAT NO ONE KNOWS HOW TO BUILD A REPLACEMENT.
IT'S JUST FOR A SECOND! I LIKE PLAYING WITH MACHINES !!
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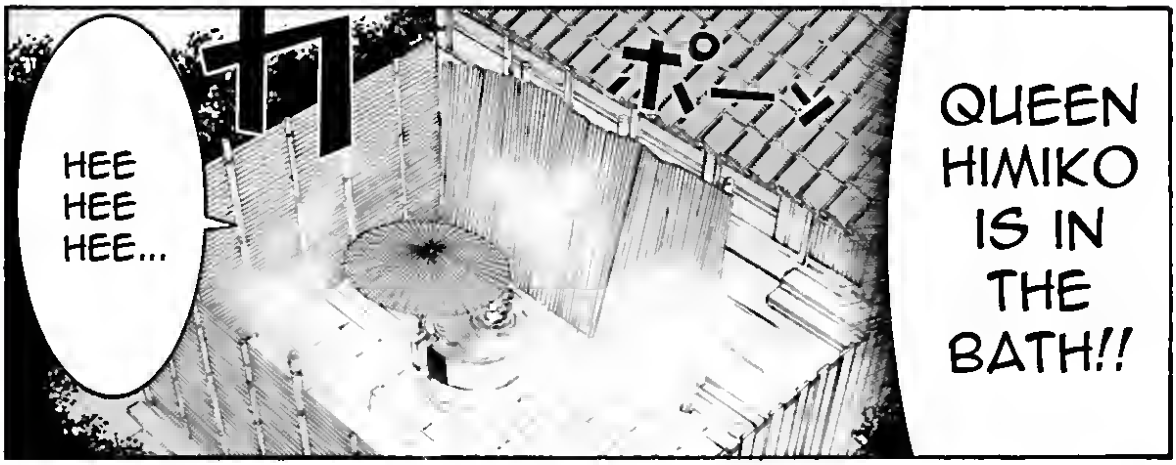
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HEE HEE HEE...
QUEEN HIMIKO IS IN THE BATH!!

THE EASTERN PLANET IS MOVED BY MY GROOM.
AND HIS GREAT-NESS.

IT'S SO EXCIT-ING.

BUT IF MY BUST...
ISN'T MOVED, WILL I HAVE FAILED AS A WOMAN..?

QUEEN HIMIKO!
THEN LORD MUKO'S ...
OH, WHY! IF I JUST USE THE SPECIAL MOVE AS PLANNED,
IT SEEMS LIKE AN IDEA FROM DA VINCI FROM THE WESTERN PLANET, BUT...
WHAT'S THAT MEAN?
THERE IS A MESSAGE FROM THE ODA FAMILY.
HMM.. WHAT IS IT?
COOLING OFF...
GLUING OFF?
THAT'S NONSENSE!!
THINGS ARE MOVING TOO QUICKLY SO WOULD YOU STAY ENGAGED INSTEAD OF GETTING MARRIED?

THE STRENGTH OF NOBUNAGA'S IKUSA YOROI...
ISN'T IT TOO MUCH...
FOR A FOOL LIKE THAT?
WHY GIVE HIM EVEN MORE POWER.
HM.. SO WHAT IS NOBUNAGA UP TO NOW?
I THINK HE'S IN THE COURTYARD.
EVEN WITH ALL THAT POWER, MAKING SUCH A FOOL OUR PILOT OUT OF THE QUESTION
NOBU-KATSU IS BETTER SUITED AS HEAD OF THE FAMILY.
BUT AFTER WHAT JUST HAPPENED, NOBUNAGA HAS A LOT OF SUPPORTERS.
I GUESS WE'LL HAVE TO LAY LOW FOR A WHILE.
HE WAS MAKING A RACKET TRAINING WITH THAT RANMARU GUY HE FOUND.
HAAAAAAAAH-!

I HOPE YOU REALIZE I HAVEN'T EVEN EATEN!
WHAT IS THAT CROOKED POSTURE! AND YOU THOUGHT YOU COULD TEACH ME SOMETHING ABOUT SWORD FIGHTING.
SHUT IT!
DIDN'T YOU COME TO CUT THROUGH DOUBT ?!
SWORDS ARE FOR CUTTING THROUGH DOUBT!!

THAT THE PROPHECY IS TRUE!
THAT HE REALLY IS THE SAVIOR KING...
I... WILL MAKE SURE OF IT!
FOR ME TO HAVE COME TO THIS PLANET!
BECAUSE IF HE ISN'T, THERE IS NO REASON...

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SO I THOUGHT I'D HAVE A BITE TO EAT.
YOU'RE NOT REALLY INTO THIS, ARE YOU?
WHAT... ARE YOU DOING?
IS IT SO WRONG FOR ME TO HOLD ON TO IT?
IF I'VE BEEN GIVEN SOME MEANING...
I WAS TOLD I HAD A REVELATION ABOUT THE SAVIOR KING. WHAT'S WRONG WITH EXPECTING SOMETHING OUT OF IT?
IN MY VILLAGE PEOPLE SHUNNED ME, SAYING I WAS POSSESSED BY A DEMON.

I...
JUST SHUT IT!!
THE COUNTRY'S AT WAR!! AND YOU CAN'T EVEN TAKE OUT A SINGLE MAN!!
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I THOUGHT I TOLD YOU NOT TO CLING TO GODS...
THAT THE THING WITH YOU IS A DEMON MORE POWERFUL THAN ANY GOD.
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THIS IS NOT WHAT WE AGREED TO!
MY GROO-OOOM!
HUH?
WHAT'S THIS I HEAR ABOUT ENGAGE-MENT ...?!
WH.. WHAT?
RAN-MARU... RANMA-RUUU?
HE'S A NEW VASSAL, MORI RANMARU.
AND WHAT'S WITH THIS BLONDIE ...?
ATTACK, CHIBI-HANE!!

UH OH.
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AH!
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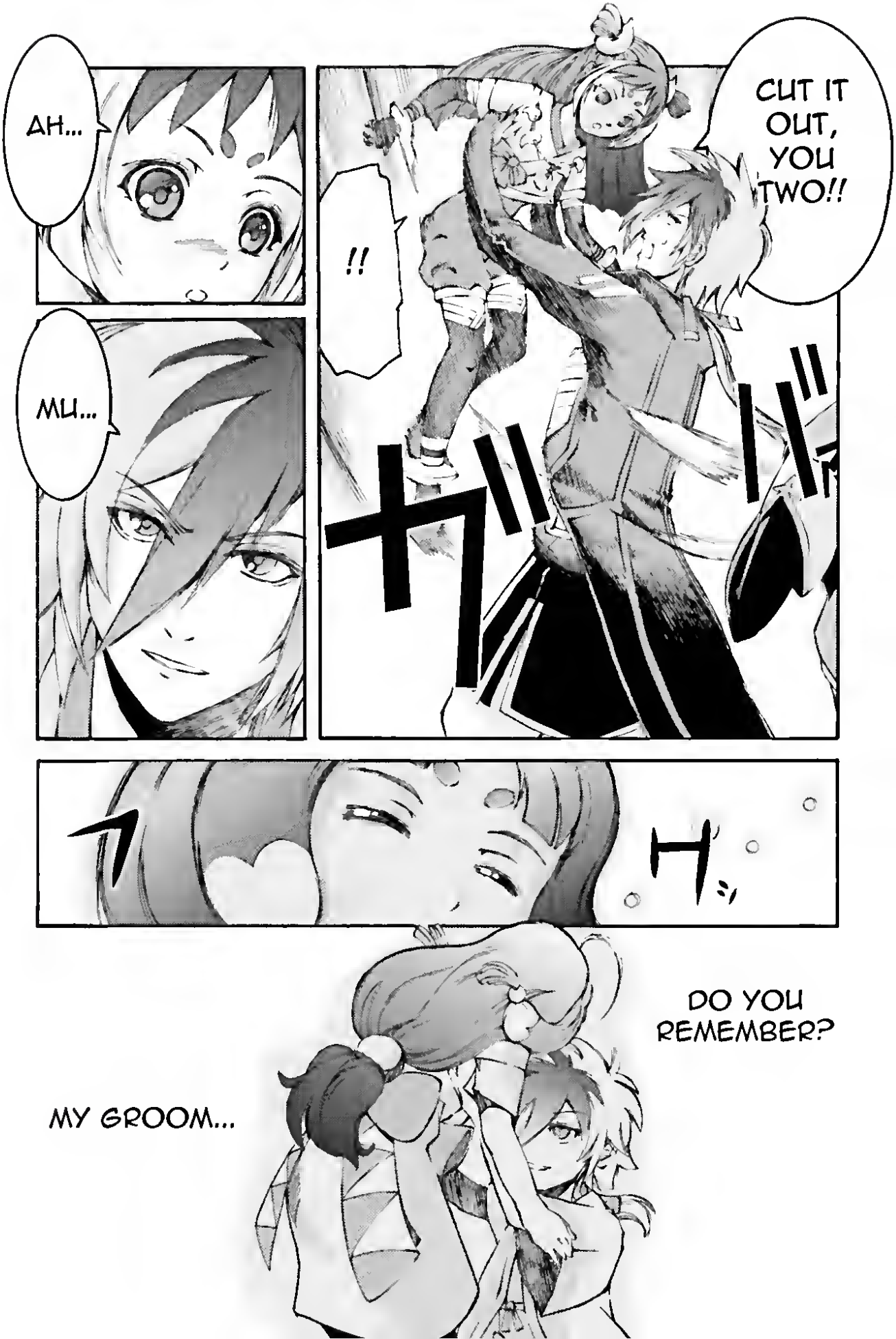
AAAA AAAA!!
P.. PER-VERT?!
WHAT KIND OF PERVERT WOULD PRETEND TO BE A BOY TO GET CLOSE TO MY GROOM?
HAH! SO YOU'RE A LADY AFTER ALL, SHACHIHOKO HEAD!
WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU'RE DOING?!

OH?
LEAVE IT AT THAT FOR NOW. WE DID IT FOR A REASON, SO PLEASE DON'T TELL ANYONE.
YOU CAN'T EAT MY GROOM, YOU BARBARIAN!
THAT... THAT DOESN'T EVEN MAKE SENSE, YOU IDIOT!!
HEY, SHACHIHOKO! ON THE WESTERN PLANET, THEY EAT PEOPLE DON'T THEY?
ALRIGHT, I CAN KEEP A SECRET.
DON'T TALK TO ME LIKE I'M A YOKAI!! CANNIBAL!! PERVERT!!
YOU'RE THE ONE WHO THROWS SEVERED HEADS, HAS A STRETCHY NECK, SPITS NEEDLES, AND CAN TURN TO STONE! FRICKING HEAVY!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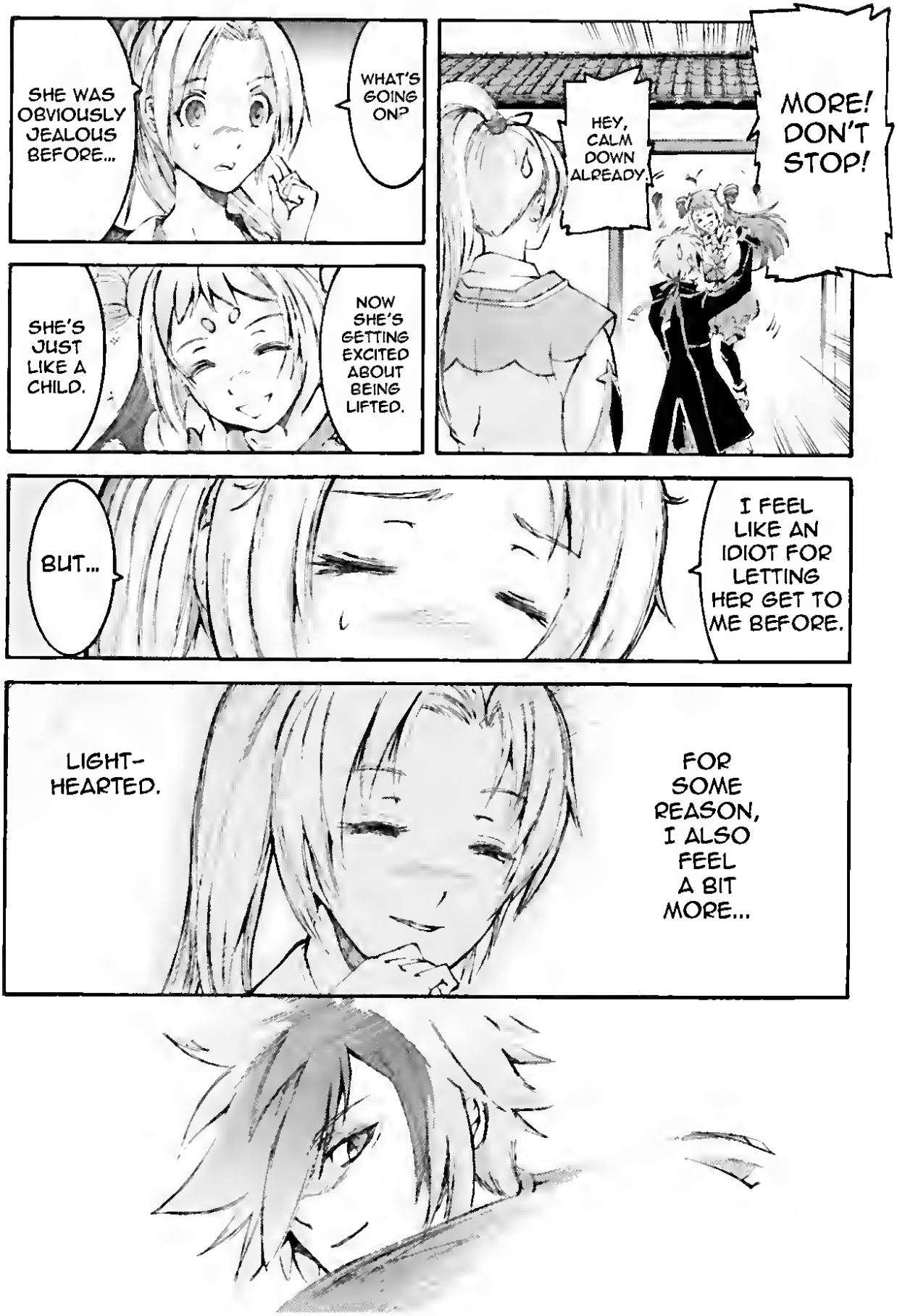
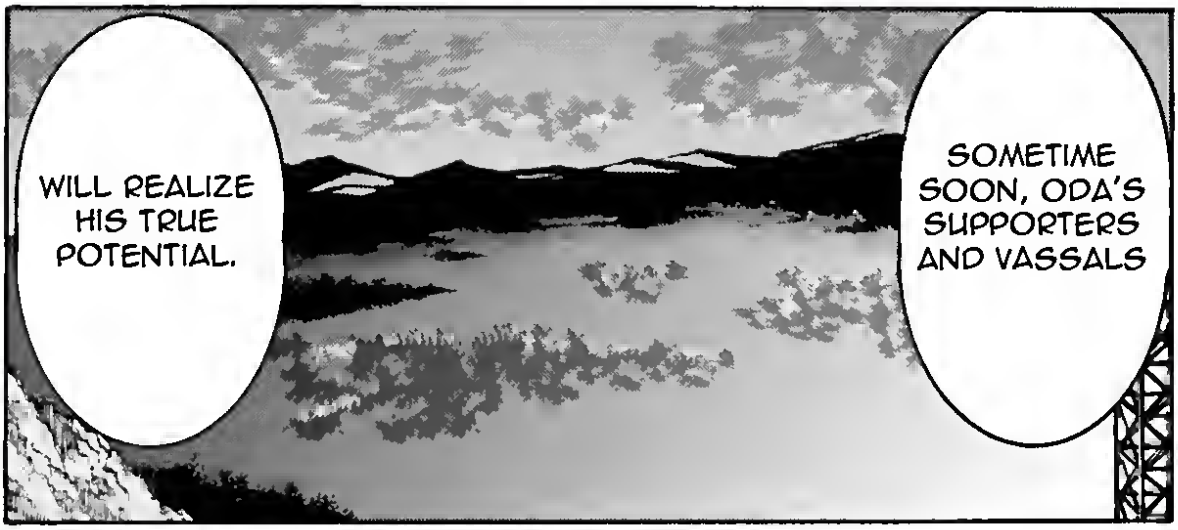
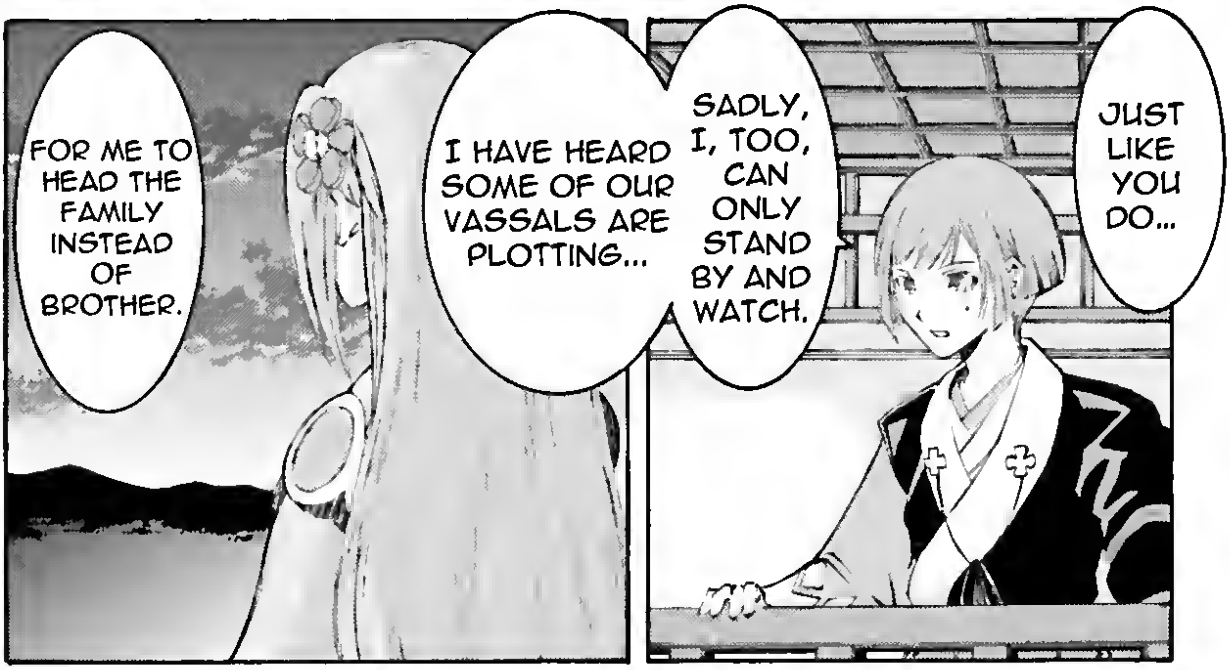
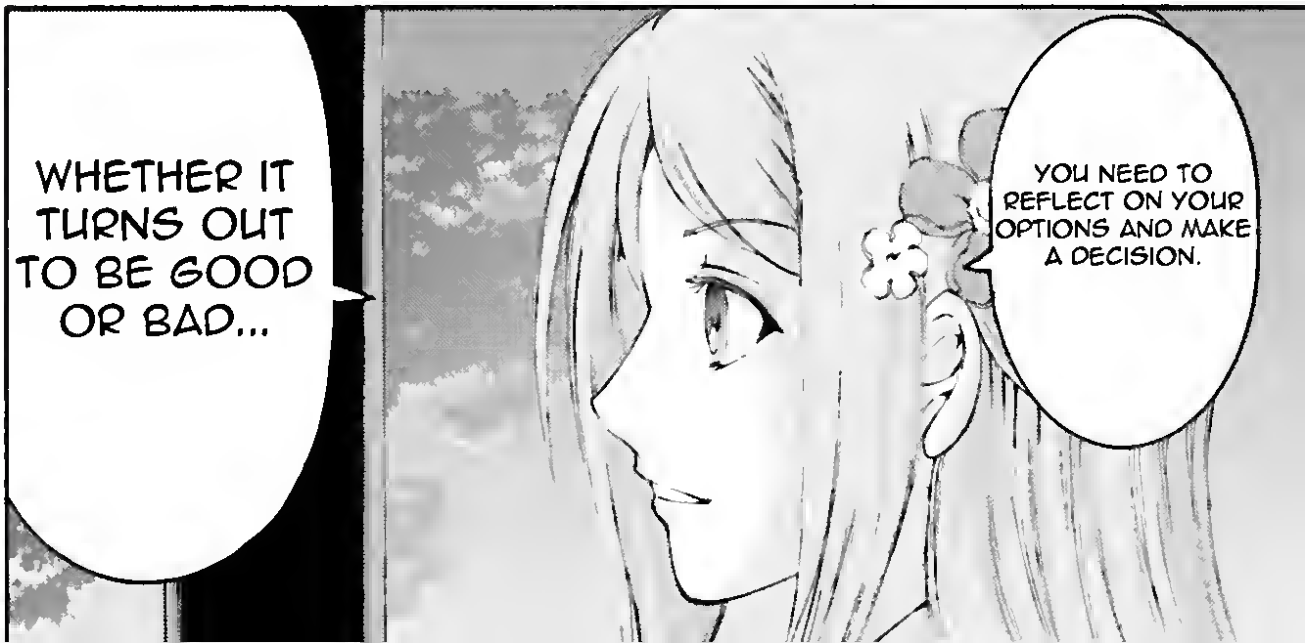
CUT IT OUT, YOU TWO!!
DO YOU REMEMBER?
MY GROOM...


WHAT'S GOING ON?
SHE WAS OBVIOUSLY JEALOUS BEFORE...
HEY, CALM DOWN ALREADY.
MORE! DON'T STOP!
NOW SHE'S GETTING EXCITED ABOUT BEING LIFTED.
SHE'S JUST LIKE A CHILD.
I FEEL LIKE AN IDIOT FOR LETTING HER GET TO ME BEFORE.
BUT...
FOR SOME REASON, I ALSO FEEL A BIT MORE...
LIGHT-HEARTED.

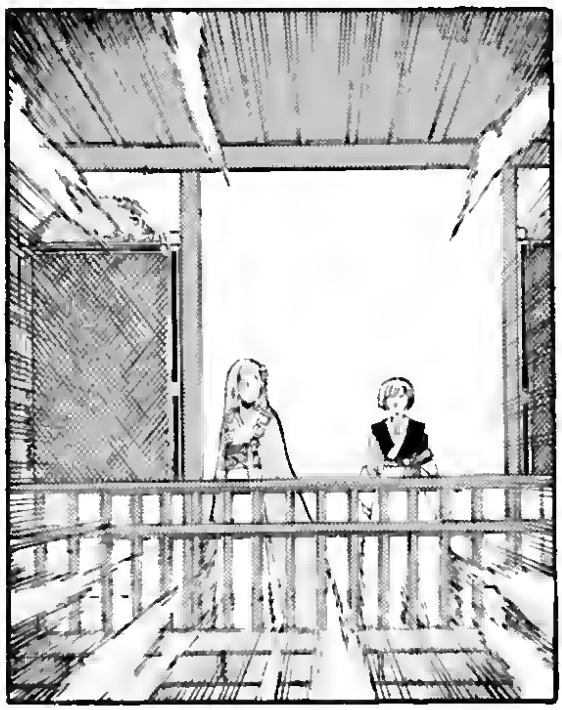
ICHI.
NOBU-KATSU ...
THAT SONG WAS INCREDIBLE!
BROTHER IS FINE EVEN WITHOUT A SONG.
I JUST SING BECAUSE IT'S ALL I AM CAPABLE OF.
...
I AM SURE BROTHER HEARD IT WHEREVER HE IS.


WILL REALIZE HIS TRUE POTENTIAL.
SOMETIME SOON, ODA'S SUPPORTERS AND VASSALS

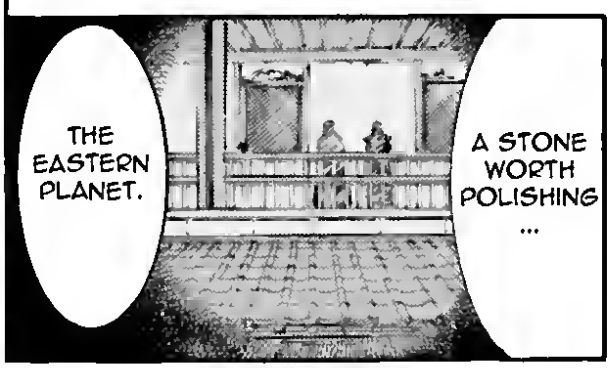

FOR ME TO HEAD THE FAMILY INSTEAD OF BROTHER.
I HAVE HEARD SOME OF OUR VASSALS ARE PLOTTING...
SADLY, I, TOO, CAN ONLY STAND BY AND WATCH.
JUST LIKE YOU DO...

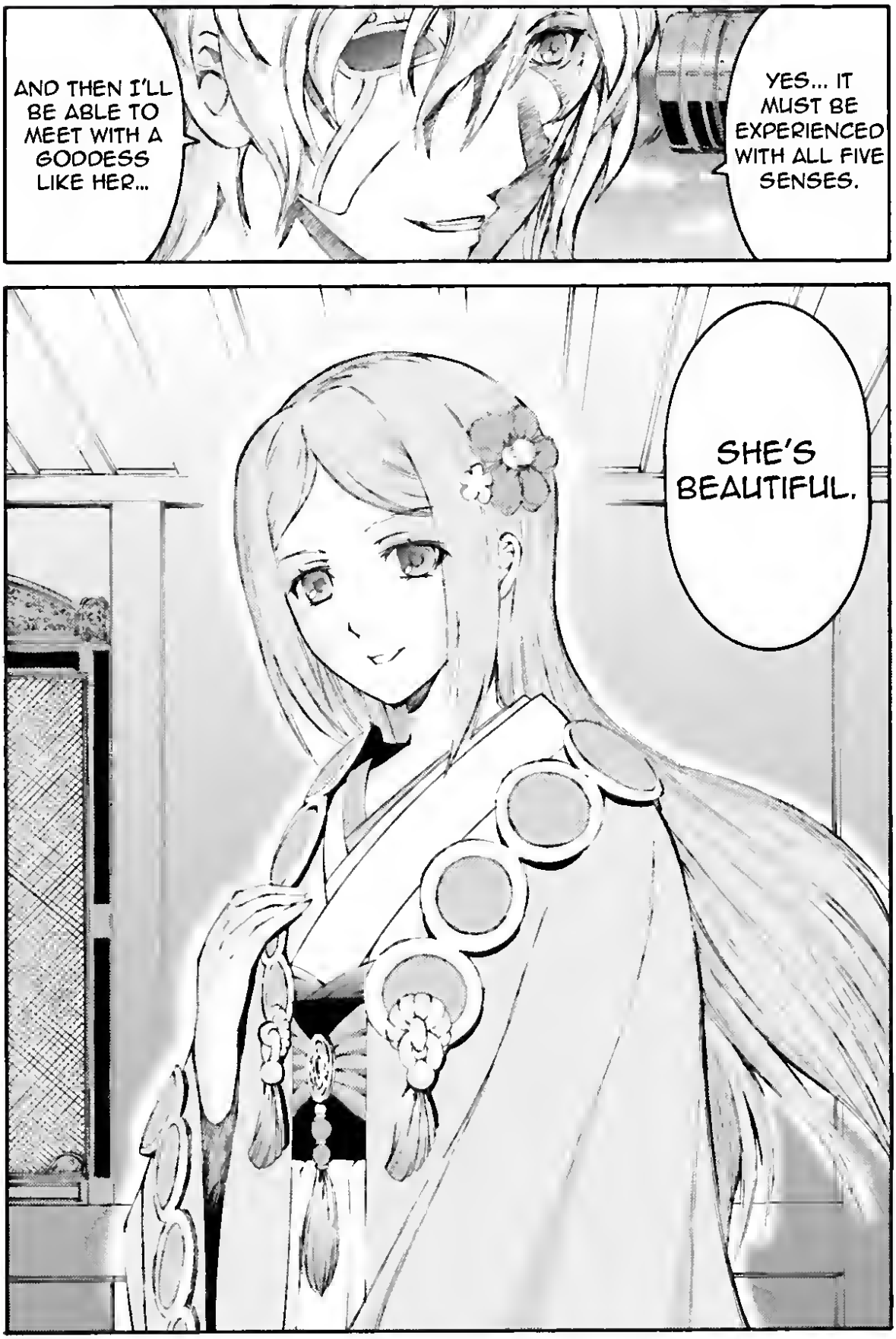

WHETHER IT TURNS OUT TO BE GOOD OR BAD...
YOU NEED TO REFLECT ON YOUR OPTIONS AND MAKE A DECISION.

IN A COUNTRY AT WAR.
YOU MUST KEEP MOVING FORWARD. I BELIEVE THAT IS WHAT IT MEANS TO LIVE...



THEY SHOULD BE OUT EXPERIENCING THE REAL THING!
HAHAHA, THOSE OLD MEN SHOULDN'T BE SITTING AT THE ROUND TABLE...


THE EASTERN PLANET.
A STONE WORTH POLISHING ...


AND THEN I'LL BE ABLE TO MEET WITH A GODDESS LIKE HER...
YES... IT MUST BE EXPERIENCED WITH ALL FIVE SENSES.
SHE'S BEAUTIFUL.